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## PETITION UNDER 37 CFR 1.313(c)(2)

Mail Stop Petition Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Madame:

This petition is submitted in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) dated July 30, 2009. The Notice states that the IDS was filed after the issue fee was paid. In full compliance with Applicant's duty to disclose information material to patentability under 37 CFR 1.56, Applicant herewith submits a Request for Continued Examination referencing the previously filed Information Disclosure Statement for consideration by the Office.

Applicant also submits the necessary fees under 37 CFR 1.17(h) and 1.17(e). Should any additional fees be required, the Commissioner is authorized to deduct said fees from Deposit Account No. 50-2183.

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